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J. W. and Henry Crow were visi-
s back to their boyhood home in
East Texas last week on legal busi-
ness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Holmes of
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Bendele and other relatives and
ends.

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Mrs. H. S. H. Bulgerin and Mrs.
Bendele were guests of Mr.
Mrs. R. A. Martin at Lytle Sun-
afternoon.

Miss Betty Jean Merriman of the
University of Texas, spent the week-
end with her parents, Mr. and
H. E. Merriman.

Mrs. Mary Ann Noonan, Univer-
sity of Texas student, spent the
weekend with her parents, Judge
Mrs. R. J. Noonan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Whitehead and
children of San Antonio spent the
weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter
Whitehead and other relatives here.

Berbert W. Gerdes, a junior mem-
ber, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gerdes,
Thanksgiving Day of last week.

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pression. Have yours cleaned and
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Mrs. Mary Louis Haegelin of Our
of the Lake College, San An-
tonio, was the weekend guest of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haegel-

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opening in Paris, Cara Nome and
sets, also see the assortment of
for men at WINDROW DRUG
STORE.

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week from Fort Sam Houston, having
completed his year's service in
the Army. He plans to re-enter
next term.

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Mr. Albert Bryant, all smiles, was
in passing the Quihi-San Antonio
having shot a fine ten-prong
His luck was very good as the
was his first one.

Miss Nell Foley of Beeville and
Mr. Francis Richter of Devine
and friends here Sunday. Miss
Foley was formerly Home Demon-
stration Agent for Medina County.

Miss Lorene Koch and Marvin
of San Antonio spent the first

days, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Koch.

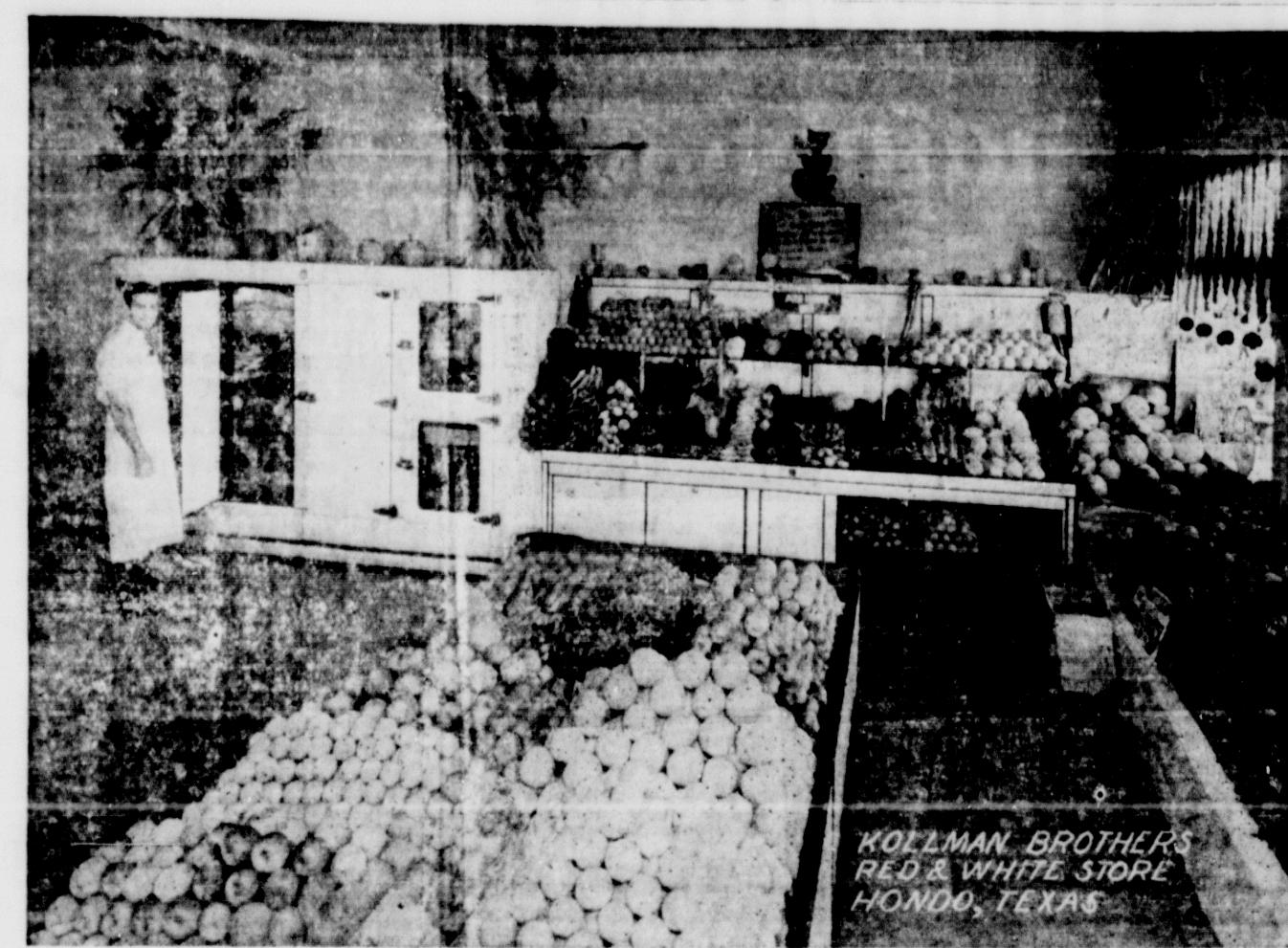
They are both employed in that city.

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RECEIVES NATIONAL RECOGNITION—The Red & White Store, of Hondo, owned and operated by L. E. Kollman Jr. and E. E. Kollman, has received national recognition twice in a year's time in Hy-Lites, the official magazine for the Red & White organization over the entire United States. The above picture, accompanied by commendatory writeups, was included in two separate editions of the magazine. The tenth anniversary of Kollman Bros. is being celebrated this year. They now enjoy one of the finest businesses in this territory. The picture shows the fresh fruit and vegetable department of Kollman Bros., which includes a combination refrigerator which is used for the storage of fresh fruits and vegetables and the spotless clean all white enamel Friedreich vegetable rack with spray heads. Kollman Bros. attribute much of their success featuring fresh fruits and vegetables and buying only the finest that the market affords.

OWLS CLEAN UP ON SABINAL

53 TO 0

From THE OWL.

Last Friday night the Owls mopped up the Sabinal Yellowjackets by defeating them 53 to 0. Although the weather was very bad, the Owls' passing attack was good and Hollmig got off some excellent punts. It was raining during the entire game and proved very costly to Sabinal who just couldn't keep the ball in their hands. During the entire game they fumbled eight times and each time for a loss of about ten yards.

The Owls were without one of their co-captains, H. F. Finger, who has played excellent ball for the Owls this year. He will be ready for the "owls" name and in fact all the Owls will be. Let's all support the

team in their battle with Pearall and help them come through champions of the district.

Following is the play by play de-
scription of the game with Sabinal:

First Quarter

The Owls kicked off to Sabinal's 35-yd. line. After losing 5 yards, they punted to the Owls' 35-yd. line. Hollmig then carried for two tries and made a first down. Dawson tore loose on the next play for a gain of 45 yards to Sabinal's 13-yd. line. Hollmig made 4 yards twice and then went across for the first touchdown of the game. He failed to convert.

Hollmig kicked off for the Owls to Sabinal's 31-yard line. Sabinal then lost 20 yards and punted to their own 35-yd. line. Hollmig made 3 yards but then lost 4 yards on a fumble. Dawson made 5 yards around right end, and then the Owls failed to complete a pass. The ball went over to Sabinal on downs. They again fumbled and lost 10 yards and on the following play they punted to their own 49 1-2 yard line. After Dawson failed to gain on a lateral, Hollmig made 9 yards on a center play. Then he carried it for a first down. Gilliam also made a first down on the next play and then the Owls failed to complete another pass as the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

The Owls failed to complete another pass but Sabinal received a pushing penalty and it was ruled a complete pass, and a touchdown. Hollmig converted.

Again Hollmig kicked off to Sabinal's 33-yard line. On the first Sabinal fumbled and the Owls recovered on the Yellowjackets' 13-yd. line. Dawson fumbled but recovered for a loss of 3 yards. Hollmig then smashed center for a touchdown and then converted.

Hollmig kicked off to Sabinal's 5-yd. line. Again Sabinal fumbled and the Owls recovered on the Yellowjackets' 24-yd. line. Dawson lost 6 yards on the next play. Then on the next three plays Hondo attempted passes but all three were incomplete. Ball went over to Sabinal on downs. Then after making no gain Sabinal punted to the Sabinal 32. Hollmig punted to the Sabinal 32. Hollmig went around right end for 20 yards and then converted.



son each made 1 yard on the next two plays. Dawson then made 11 yards. Then Dawson made a touchdown. Hollmig tried to kick but the punt was blocked and he picked it up and ran across.

Dawson kicked off to the Sabinal 15. It was brought back to the 30. After several plays Sabinal punted to the Hondo 15. Dawson returned for 10 yards. Hollmig quick kicked to the Sabinal 35. Sabinal punted to the Hondo 20. Hollmig returned to the 25. Hollmig quick-kicked to Sabinal 10 and it was brought back to the 15 as the half ended. Score: Hondo 27, Sabinal 0.

Third Quarter

Sabinal kicked off to the Hondo 5. Dawson brought it back to the 32. Gilliam made no gain; Hollmig was good for 5 yards; then Dawson made a first down. Gilliam gained 3 yards. Hollmig went through center for a first down. Hondo's fumble was then recovered by Sabinal. Sab-



inal punted and Dawson returned the punt to the Sabinal 10 for a 40-yard gain. Hollmig failed to gain, but Dawson went around right end for a touchdown. Hollmig converted for the extra point.

Hollmig kicked off to the Sabinal 5. The ball was brought back to the 22. After making one first down Sabinal punted to the Hondo 35. Dawson brought back to the 35. Hollmig failed to gain, then made 4 yards and Gilliam 2 1-2 yards. Hollmig was good for a first down, then Dawson lost 3 1-2 yards. Hondo fumbled for a 10-yard loss. Then Hollmig threw a pass for 45 yards and a touchdown. Hollmig failed to convert.

Dawson kicked off to the Sabinal 5. The ball was finally downed on the 2-yd. line. Sabinal punted to their own 35. Hollmig went through center for a first down. Dawson was good for a 2-yard gain. Hollmig then threw a pass to Dawson for a touchdown. Hollmig converted the extra point.

Hollmig kicked off to the Sabinal 15 and the ball was brought back to the 20, where Sabinal punted to their own 48. There was a five yard penalty for Hondo. Hollmig punted to Sabinal over the goal. Sabinal then punted to the Hondo 47. Hollmig gained 6 yards, then quick-kicked, but both sides were off-sides. Hollmig punted to Sabinal's 14. Then Hondo recovered a fumble for a touchdown. Hollmig failed to convert.

Hollmig kicked off to the Sabinal 10. The ball was brought back to the 25. Then Sabinal completed a pass for 40 yards but the play was void because both sides were off-sides. This ended the game.

Score: Hondo—53; Sabinal—0.

NO WAY TO PUT OUT A FIRE!



MISS KNOPP HONORED

Miss Evelyn Frances Knopp, whose marriage to Lt. William F. Tompkins Jr. takes place December sixth in Washington, D. C., was honored with a beautifully appointed shower-tea Saturday afternoon, from three until six o'clock, in the home of Mrs. H. E. Merriman. Hostesses were Mesdames Merriman, W. H. Smith, R. J. Noonan, M. L. McDowell, J. G. Barry, R. C. Rath, Horace Cox Jr. of San Antonio, J. D. Lacy, W. T. Crow, J. H. Meyer, W. O. Rothe, O. H. Miller, and Ben Oefinger.

Red and white flowers adorned the spacious living room. The long mantel ledge over the fireplace held a graceful arrangement of long-stemmed red Toile de Holland roses in crystal vases, a mass of scarlet cannae made a bright splash of color on the piano, and white chrysanthemums, red carnations and tiny coral blossoms completed the decoration.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Merriman, Miss Knopp and her mother, Mrs. Thos. B. Knopp, and her two great-aunts, Mrs. M. S. Ragland and Mrs. J. C. Shaw of Mercedes, Texas.

Mrs. Merriman was gowned in black crepe and wore a corsage of white carnations. Miss Knopp wore a lovely frock of pale gold chiffon, fashioned with a full flowing skirt striped down each side with a band of gold lame', fitted midriff and softly draped bodice, and short sleeves also striped in lame' from the shoulder to the sleeve edge. In her hair she wore a V-for-Victory nosegay of Talisman roses and gold irises. Mrs. Knopp's crepe dress in two shades of grey was set off with a corsage of red carnations. Mrs. Ragland was in black lace and Mrs. Shaw in wine crepe. They wore corsages of white carnations.

Miss Margaret Ann Knopp and Miss Delight Shaw, of Mercedes, sister and cousin respectively of the bride, registered the guests in the bride's book. The former was attired in a frock made with a black taffeta skirt and powder blue lace bodice. Miss Shaw wore black crepe skirt and white blouse topped with a velvet jerkin embroidered in bright wool flowers. Both girls wore red carnations in their hair.

The tea table, laid with a lace banquet cloth, had an unusual center arrangement in keeping with the popular 3-dots-and-a-dash Victory theme of the present day. A flat V-shaped crystal bowl of white chrysanthemums was flanked on one side by a trio of tiny crystal vases filled with red carnations and on the other by three candles, in red, white and blue, burning in a crystal holder. Just in front of the tapers was a low crystal bowl of deep blue ageratum blossoms. A silver bowl of white chrysanthemums and red carnations flanked by candelabra holding candles in red, white and blue, also adorned the buffet, and vases of the favorite flowers completed the details in the dining room. Refreshments of cake iced in white and topped with white flowers traced with gold, red, white and blue mints, salted nuts, coffee and tea, were served.

A musical program was presented during the tea hours. A local group, composed of Mrs. C. D. Sadler, piano soloist and accompanist, Ruth Rucker, Rose Mary Finger, Betty Jean Merriman, Henry Martin Finger, William Horace Holloway, Mrs. R. C. Rath, and Mrs. August Finger, entertained with songs and piano selections. The group included Misses Barbara Hensley, Marie Pawelek, Jean Rithey, Gladys Schewitz, Dorothy Hauser, Nellie Kathleen Sharp, Mary Brown Campbell and Claire Fitzpatrick.

Mrs. Lacy and Mrs. Rothe alternated in greeting the guests at the front door. The former was in green chiffon with a corsage of yellow irises and the latter was in black crepe with gold braid trim. Her corsage was red carnations. The other members of the house party alternated in hostess duties in the gift rooms and in presiding over the tea table in the dining room.

Mrs. McDowell was in black crepe trimmed with gold sequins. Mrs. Barry wore a black crepe skirt and powder blue blouse threaded with gold sequins. Their corsages were red carnations.

A blue chiffon frock with a round collar of gold sequins was worn by Mrs. Rath and white flowers were worn in her hair. Mrs. Oefinger wore French blue crepe and pink carnations as a corsage.

Mrs. Meyer's frock of green taffeta was banded in deeper green velvet and her flowers were white carnations. Mrs. Crow's dress was black and red crepe and her corsage of white carnations.

Miss Betty Jean Merriman, in blue satin with pink flowers in her hair, and Miss Mary Ann Noonan, wearing eggshell silk net over satin and blue delphinium in her hair, assisted.

About one hundred guests called.

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SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

A LAST FAREWELL

There died in Tennessee, on the evening of Tuesday, November 18, 1941, Mrs. Emily Roper, last of this writer's eight sisters. Out of a family of thirteen brothers and sisters, only two of us remain alive—the writer and an elder brother, F. M. Davis of Memphis, Tennessee.

Emily Isabella Davis, the sixth child and fourth daughter in that group of thirteen, was born to the late Francis Marion and Mary Lockhart Davis near Booneville, then part of Tishomingo County but now Prentiss County, Mississippi, on January 29, 1863. When she was a small child her parents left that part of the state and in 1869 settled on a farm in Marshall County, Mississippi, near where they had both been reared and where, after their marriage, they had resided before moving to Tishomingo just preceding the Civil War. Here she grew into young womanhood and on December 16, 1886, she was married to James B. Roper.

The first years of their married life were spent on a farm near Byhalia, but some twenty-five or more years ago the family moved to Memphis, Tennessee, where she has since resided. There were born of this marriage six children, four sons and two daughters. The husband and one son preceded her in death several years ago. Several grandchildren join their parents in mourning her departure.

These are the brief and simple annals of one whose only claim to fame is that she was a dutiful and loving wife and mother. And she was all of that. In all our association with her since her marriage, we have no recollection of ever hearing her voice raised in anger at

LA COSTE LEDGERTTES.

The LaCoste Ledger.
BECKER-HITZFELDER NUPTIALS

In a solemn ceremony at 8:30 Tuesday morning, November 18, 1941, Miss Florence Hitzfelder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hitzfelder of LaCoste, became the bride of Ferdinand Becker, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Becker of Macdona. The nuptial high mass took place in St. Mary's Church here, with Rev. John J. Gerbermann, pastor, officiating.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother-in-law, Oscar Tschirhart. She was lovely in a white satin gown fashioned with a long train; her veil of white illusion was long and flowing. She carried a bouquet of white carnations. Maid of honor was Miss Clara Becker, sister of the bridegroom, who was gowned in blue taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Her headdress was a short blue veil. Bridesmaids were Miss Anna Mae Rihm and Miss Funice Biediger. They were attired in pink taffeta gowns with head-dresses of pink veils, and carried pink carnations. Flower girl and ring-bearer were little Miss Mary Catherine Rihm and Howard Schirmer. The little flowergirl was dressed similar to the bridesmaids, in pink taffeta, and carried a tiny colonial bouquet of white carnations. The ring-bearer was dressed in white and carried the ring on a white heart-shaped satin pillow. The bridegroom's best man was Leo Hitzfelder, brother of the bride. Groomsmen were Harold Trip and Howard Mechler. They wore dark blue suits and their boutonnieres were pink carnations.

After the ceremony an all day reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Late in the evening the young couple departed on a wedding trip. The bride was wearing a navy blue suit with matching accessories. Upon their return they will be at home at Macdona in a beautiful new rock home.

Mrs. A. H. Ahr left Friday for Dallas where she will visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Powell, for several weeks.

Mrs. Hans Ziegenbalg returned to her home at Natalia after a week's stay at the Castroville Clinic where she was under the doctor's care.

Mrs. H. W. Keller of the Sauz was pleasantly surprised on Sunday, November 16, by members of her family, who came all prepared to spread a grand dinner at her home. The occasion was her birthday anniversary. A fine time was enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zinsmeyer and children, Frances and Dennis; Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Keller and children and Daniel Keller, all of Rio Medina; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mueller and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mechler and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zinsmeyer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mechler and children, Mrs. Richard Zinsmeyer and daughter, Elvira; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zinsmeyer, Jr. and Mrs. Claude Boehme and baby, Joe Mueller, Henry W. Keller and children, Clarence and Genevieve, and the honoree. Late in the evening all departed, wishing Mrs. Keller many happy returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohl celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home near LaCoste Sunday, November 16. Relatives and neighbors were invited for dinner and that night the group enjoyed an old time dance at Zimmerman's Place. An enjoyable day was had by all who attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Koch and Olan Koch from San Antonio were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch at Hondo and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rihm here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biediger left here last Thursday morning for Houston where they joined friends and relatives of the deceased J. C. Franklin. In the afternoon they attended the funeral which was held in Galveston at four o'clock that afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Biediger spent Thursday night in Galveston, returning home the next morning.

George Echtle was a business visitor in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biediger from Spindletop were visitors in LaCoste Tuesday afternoon.

Joseph Courand from San Antonio was a visitor in LaCoste one day last week.

Phil A. Scherrer from the Sauz was in San Antonio on business Monday.

Howard Mangold and son, Patrick, from Noonan spent Wednesday afternoon visiting in LaCoste.

Henry Burrell from above Castroville was a business visitor in LaCoste Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gilbert of San Antonio visited with Mr. and Mrs. Phil A. Scherrer and family at the Sauz Sunday evening.

Superintendent Tom B. Blackwell from Lytle was in LaCoste on business Wednesday afternoon.

O. J. Wurzbach from Cliff was a business visitor in LaCoste Tuesday of this week.

Alvin Santeben brought home one of the first bucks of the young season, Sunday afternoon, after hunting only several hours.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ahr and son, Wayne, from here spent the weekend in San Antonio as the guest of Mrs. Ahr's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hutzler and daughter of San Antonio spent Sunday with homefolks at the Sauz.

Judge and Mrs. A. H. Rothe from D'Hanis were visitors in LaCoste and San Antonio last Thursday.

Miss Agnes Scherrer of San Antonio spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Etter and son, Maurice, at Black Creek.

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A. C. THALLMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pulliam from San Antonio spent the day Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mechler near Lytle.

Messrs. George Echtle and George Zinsmeyer took a trip to Brownwood Sunday, where they visited Pvt. Francis Echtle and took in the Open-house Celebration at Camp Bowie. They report a very interesting trip.

Visitors over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Ziegenbalg were Mrs. Bill Heiser from Devine, Mrs. Barbour from Natalia, Mrs. G. A. Mechler from Lytle and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Booher from Corpus Christi. Mr. and Mrs. Will Seifert and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pauly from San Antonio.

INFORMATION FOR SELECTEES

Former enlisted men of the Army, who have had eleven months' continuous service and who are within the Selective Service registration age brackets, are eligible for enlistment in the National Guard or in the Enlisted Reserve Corps. General J. W. Page, State Selective Service Director, pointed out today, instructing local boards to so advise such men when they are registered.

All enlisted men who were in the registration age brackets on October 16, 1940, or July 1, 1941, and who are not already registered under the Selective Training and Service Act, must register when discharged from the military establishment, General Page said, and he emphasized that those eligible for induction under that Act who do not enlist in the National Guard or the Enlisted Reserve Corps will be inducted. He said:

"Former enlisted men of any component of the Army of the United States, within the age limits for Selective Training and Service registration, who have had more than eleven months' continuous active Federal service, and who have been honorably discharged, may be enlisted or re-enlisted in the State Detachment of the National Guard, or in the Enlisted Reserve Corps.

"Application for enlistment in the State Detachment of the National Guard should be made to the Adjutant General of the State of Texas, at Austin.

"Information relative to enlistment in the Enlisted Reserve Corps may be obtained from the office of the Eighth Corps Area Commander, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, or from the nearest Army Recruiting Station.

"When a former enlisted man in the Army presents satisfactory evidence of enlistment in the National Guard or the Enlisted Reserve, his local board will put him in Class I-C upon receipt of his Form 166. On the other hand, any former service man who does not so enlist, or who is not eligible for enlistment in the National Guard or the Enlisted Reserve, shall be delivered for Selective Service induction provided he is not exempted by his former service and if he has not been placed in a deferred classification for any other reason."

The Selective Service Act, as amended, General Page said, relieves from liability for peacetime training and service under the Act only those Regulars who have satisfactorily served as officers or enlisted men for at least three consecutive years in the Regular Army, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard, or any enlisted man honorably discharged from the Regular Army or the Coast Guard within six months prior to the completion of his regular three-year period of enlistment.

GET YOUR FARM MACHINERY IN CONDITION

Get your farm machinery in A-1 condition now and be ready for next year's food production pledge, V. P. King, chairman of the Medina County USDA Defense board, said this week.

"Getting farm machinery in good condition now will be a safeguard against unnecessary delays and breakdown of machinery during the busy farming season," V. P. King said in pointing out that defense production will probably overload railroads, express companies and parcel post system next spring.

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'42 Studebaker Inspires Fashion Designer



The pattern and shade of the upholstery used in Studebaker's 1942 models prompted an eastern designer to create a series of "spectator-sports" coats out of the smooth broadcloth upholstery material. The girls in the photograph are wearing "Skyway Coats" as they examine swatches of the material.

duction of steel for civilian needs because of the unprecedented quantities needed in the manufacture of guns, planes, tanks and bombers. Sufficient steel has been set aside for repair parts of farm machinery, the chairman explained.

All farmers of Medina county are

asked to check their machinery and order all necessary parts by Jan. 1. By this method, manufacturers will have a sound, practical idea of the quantities needed for repair parts.

If parts are not available, farmers should notify the county defense board, he said.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS

The Devine News.
MANY ATTEND LOCKER PLANT DEMONSTRATION

More than 140 persons registered before noon Tuesday for the demonstrations at the Locker-Freezer Plant, by representatives of the A. & M. extension department, in the persons of Roy W. Snyder, Grace Neeney, Maybelle Smith and Bernice Campbell, who made every minute of the day interesting to those who could attend. County Agents M. N. Hunt of Pearsall and C. M. Merritt of Hondo, Miss Hambleton of Hondo, Miss Marie Neff of Pearsall and Miss Reid of Uvalde were the demonstration agents present. The registry show the following towns were represented: Moore, Big Foot, Pearsall, Dilley, Divot, Cotulla, Eagle Pass and Crystal City to the south; Natalia, Dunlap, Hondo, Knippa and Uvalde to the west; Kilgore and other points to the east. Moore was represented by Prof. Otis Jones and his F. F. A. boys; the Devine home-makers were out in a body with Miss Wilmette and a number of the ladies from Natalia and all the surrounding district were present. Mr. Snyder, from A. & M., gave much praise to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kern, who are in charge of the local plant; and all of Devine is very proud of this plant, the like of which is only found in more favored communities.

Sheriff Schuele and Attorney Vance were in Devine last Thursday investigating a shooting alleged to have occurred on Dr. Bradford's farm near Natalia.

Attorneys Francis Richter and Frank Vance attended the Border District Bar Association at Crystal City Saturday and reported a very interesting meeting.

BIRY

Mr. Fred Biry happened to a painful accident Saturday, being kicked by a horse on the head and also breaking his arm.

We have another volunteer worker for the Red Cross sewing, Mrs. Ira Barron.

J. A. Watson spent the week-end at LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bader and son from LaCoste visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader, one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pierce from Esteban and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eichorn of San Antonio spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schmidt.

Earl Love of San Antonio spent the week-end with W. E. Love.

Mrs. L. G. Schmidt spent Saturday in Hondo.

YANCEY

Last Thursday the women of Christian Service attended a zone meeting held at Leakey. Those who attended were Rev. and Mrs. Horning, Mesdames Tulloch, J. N. Wilson, W. T. McClaugherty, L. F. Fasler and H. U. Burdin.

Mrs. Olson of Cotulla, district secretary, guest of Mrs. J. N. Wilson, also accompanied the Yancey folks.

Thursday evening the Boy Scout Honor Court met at D'Hanis, where the Yancey Scouts participated.

Mrs. Peel was taken to Medina Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Alfred Wiemers underwent an appendix operation last Friday. We also learned that Mrs. Fritz Sasse is at the hospital; hope all a speedy recovery.

The mother of our former mail carrier, Mr. Gray, died suddenly one day last week. We extend sympathy.

Private Lawrence Wilson, who is stationed in California, is home on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward and children and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward and children spent the week-end with relatives at Winterhaven.

Misses Dorothy and Mildred Ward of San Antonio and Mirando City,

respectively, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward.

Mrs. Katie Raeke of New Ulm is visiting Mrs. Willie Fasler here.

Judge Kueck and Constable Gilson attended a barbecue dinner at Seguin last Wednesday.

Roy Beach and Fritz Fasler were in San Antonio Thursday.

News reached here of the passing away of Mrs. Julia Neuman, mother of Mrs. Jacob Fohn. We extend sympathy.

Miss Anna Lee McAnelly spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. H. N. Burgin went to San Antonio last Thursday, visiting the Roy Winkler family and also W. N. Saathoff and family, and returning Sunday.

Mrs. N. F. Berry is visiting her folks at Cotulla and Freer this week. Deer hunters have been plentiful since Sunday and several men and boys have been successful in killing their first one early in the morning.

BANDERA NEWS

The Bandera New Era.

TARPLEY

Annie Hohenberger left Friday for San Antonio where she will attend Draughon's Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Coen Sutherland of Sonora visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jeffers, Sunday.

Mrs. R. R. Rue and daughter, Mary Ruth, and Mrs. A. Slezak were shopping in San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sparks of Uvalde visited relatives here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Marquis and son were Hondo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Geuea and son, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Leinweber and daughter spent the 11th in Leakey with relatives. Mrs. Geuea's mother, Mrs. Eims, returned home with them.

Mrs. Hankinson visited her brother, Mr. Stevens, at D'Hanis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass, Mrs. Emma Cobb and son, Earl, and Lila Mae and Agnes Coughran attended the show in Hondo Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Anderson visited in Barksdale Wednesday.

About thirty girls attended the B. T. U. social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jeffers Friday night. Games and contests were played and refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cake, cocoa and coffee were served.

Mrs. Frances Monroe of Lanxton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Simpson.

Mrs. R. N. Padgett enjoyed having all of her children home Sunday for her birthday dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Knex Monroe of Tioga, Mr. and Mrs. A. Saathoff and children of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stewart and children of Utopia, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Newcomer and children of Pipe Creek and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Padgett and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hackfield and children of San Antonio spent the week-end in the Coffey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Marquis have as their guest, his mother, Mrs. Marquis of San Antonio.

Norman Mansfield of A. and M. Conege visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Scheile and daughter, Dorothy, of Winans Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Slezak Sunday.

Bob Anderson of San Antonio spent the week-end with his brother, Milton Anderson, and family.

A. A. Jeffers made a business trip to Kerrville Saturday.

Toby Sauter and Mrs. Turner went to Hondo Sunday.

Dr. B. M. Bickford of Corpus Christi spent several days visiting M. L. Hauser.

Mr. Ferricks of San Antonio spent Sunday afternoon at his ranch.

Mrs. Lula Gracye is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. T. Sandidge.

Wess Hoover of Lockhart is visiting.

ing in the B. F. Purvis home.

MEDINA LAKE

M. M. Laswell and E. S. Johnson of San Antonio were hunting on the A. G. Boehme ranch Sunday.

Mrs. Arnold Haby and daughter visited Mrs. Raymond Letcher and daughter Sunday afternoon.

Misses Kate and Clara Wurzbach spent Armistice Day at Bandera with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Letcher and attended the dance with them that night.

Howard Haby spent Tuesday night with Wayne Ruebe at Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mazurek and daughter, Mildred and Louise Zinsmeister attended the show at Bandera Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schott and Mr. Elmer Bader visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reinartz of Pipe Creek Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zinsmeister and daughters attended the show at Bandera Friday night.

Mrs. Sebastian Tschirhart spent several days with Mrs. Frank Tschirhart at Castroville.

Last Thursday afternoon the Elm Creek school pupils were entertained by Mrs. H. Rohrbach and Mrs. Mae White, honoring Betty Lou Callahan, who was eleven years old that day. The pupils sang the happy birthday song. Then the beautifully decorated cake with lighted candles was presented. Rosalie Haby and Estelle Letcher then presented Betty Lou with the basket of lovely gifts. The pupils sang a number of songs after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses to the pupils and following ladies: Mesdames Lester Heinen, Earl White, Adolph Mazurek and Blanche G. Neel.

Louise Maley was in San Antonio Tuesday on business.

S. W. York of Henderson is at the Charlie Schott home where he has a lease during hunting season.

DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Monday, November 24, 1941

San Antonio, Nov. 24. — HOGS. Estimated salable and total receipts \$800. The week's initial session in the hog division found trading on an active basis at generally steady prices compared with Friday. A top of \$10.25 took the bulk of good and choice 180-270 lb. weights while comparable grade 150-180 lbs. turned at \$9.50-10.25. Sows found takers in a \$9.00-9.25 spread. Feeder pigs developed on a firm basis at \$9.00-9.50.

CATTLE: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,600; CALVES 2,700. Activity characterized cattle trade

Monday with prices on all classes ruling fully steady to slightly stronger. Slaughter steers and yearlings found fully steady outlets. The majority of common and medium yearlings turned at \$6.25-8.50. Load lots medium grade mature straight grass steers made \$9.00-9.75 with a load fed on grass at \$9.85. Cattle grade yearlings cashed at \$5.75-6.00. A few lots medium and good short fed yearlings reached \$10.50.

Slaughter cows developed on a strong to 25c higher basis as common to good beef kinds secured \$5.75-7.25 and canners and cutters mainly \$3.50-5.50. Firm prices took sausage bulls at \$6.25-7.50, odd head to \$7.75.

Moderate slaughter calf supplies met ready release at strong to 25c higher rates. Medium and good selections turned at \$8.75-9.50 with choice lots at \$9.65-\$10.00. Common and medium kinds brought \$7.00-\$8.75.

Stocker calf offerings met steady to strong outlets. Good and choice steer calves commanded \$9.00-10.25 while common and medium offerings sold mainly at \$7.00-8.75. Some choice around 350-375 lbs. exceeded \$10.25. Heifer calves turned mainly at \$9.25 down. Stocker cows secured \$6.00-7.25 and two loads feeder bulls made \$6.25-6.75.

SHEEP: Estimated salable and total receipts 600. Limited supplies in the sheep division found scattered sales recorded on a steady basis. A package shorn medium grade aged wethers earned \$4.75. Several lots mixed cull "boner" material cleared from \$2.50-3.00.

GLEN L. ELLISON, Local Representative.

San Antonio Market was closed Thursday, November 27.

TO SEEK AUDITION

Austin, Texas, Nov. 22.—Only one can win, but sixty University of Texas students will have all the fun of an audition for a national radio program.

The Fred Allen "Search for Talent" on college campuses has come to Austin, and sixty students have signed up to try out before a student-faculty committee. Three winners will be chosen by the committee, and they will be heard over several Columbia Broadcasting stations in Texas. Following those programs, a campus-wide vote will select the single winner.

The Fred Allen program offers the winner a \$200 award, a free trip to New York, and an appearance over a national hook-up December 3.

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Oscar W. Bendele was over from Dunlay Saturday and paid this office a pleasant visit.

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V. H. Neuman was a business caller at this office Saturday, placing his dates on this paper ahead another year.

Friends of Mr. Henry Graff regret to hear of his serious illness with pneumonia and wish him a speedy recovery.

Iva Jean Senne, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Senne, had her tonsils removed on November 25th at Medina Hospital.

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Mrs. August Finger spent Friday night and Saturday here with her sister, Mrs. R. C. Rath. She returned to San Antonio Saturday evening.

Miss Ruth Hill of Smithville spent the weekend here with her cousin, Mrs. J. G. Barry. Miss Hill came for the tea in honor of Miss Evelyn Knopp. The two girls were roommates at Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo. Miss Hill is now a senior at the University of Texas.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

Saturday night, November 22, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bohmfalk celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary with a crowd of neighbors and relatives gathering to wish them many more happy years of married life and also to wish them to live to celebrate their Golden anniversary. After some time of social entertainment the lovely and very beautiful gifts were opened and admired by all. The guests were then served chicken salad, cake and coffee, which everybody enjoyed.

Those present were Mrs. Annie Saathoff, Mrs. Jacob Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pichot and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lindenburg and daughter, Lillian, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindenburg, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lindenburg and daughter, Bernice, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riff and family, Mrs. Clinton Wiemers and her mother, Mrs. Geo. R. Bohmfalk, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Fuos, Mr. and Mrs. Frits Fuos, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walch, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wiemers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Britsch and daughters, Mr. Joe Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartman and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Faseler, Mr. and Mrs. John Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brucks and son, John, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Bohmfalk and daughter, Edie, Mr. Ernest Saathoff, Mr. W. F. Tamke, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Saathoff and family. Those from Houston were Mr. Rothwell Bohmfalk, Mr. B. F. Hannsz and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hannsz and sons, Mrs. Harry Montgomery and son and Mrs. Louis Bohmfalk's mother, Mrs. F. H. Hannsz.—Contributed.

TRACTOR AND PLOW DEMONSTRATION

The Alamo Lumber Company will hold a tractor and plow demonstration at the Robert Riff Farm on Wednesday, December 3, beginning at 2:00 P. M.

The new Case D. C. tractor will be operated with both gasoline and distillate.

The plow shown will be a Case Centennial Moldboard type with three 14" bottoms.

Representatives of Alamo Lumber Co. and J. I. Case Co. will be on hand to show the equipment.

The Alamo Lumber Co. extends a cordial invitation to their farmer friends to be present at this demonstration.

Remember the time—2 o'clock Wednesday, December 3rd.

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QUIHI NOTES
And Joseph was brought down to Egypt; and Potiphar, an officer of Pharaoh, captain of the guard, an Egyptian, bought him of the hands of the Ishmaelites, which had brought him down thither. Gen. 39: 1.

Selling a brother into slavery for hard cash, regardless of what motive prompted the brothers, reveals a sinister heart, a very low moral level. It's closely kin to sending fellow-citizen into bloodshed and death for no convincing reason. Such brothers can easily cook up a shrewd lie to deceive an old father and make the balance of his days a daily misery, shortening the allotted time of his earthly existence. Indirect murder, if anything. Such brothers can stand and shed crocodile tears, trying to comfort that sorrowing father and, when unobserved, laugh over that dastardly joke played, most likely, on the whole family. Such brothers watched untouched and dry-eyed when the wailing lad was torn away and packed with other chattel and marketable commodities and, perhaps, with a number of equally unhappy chaps, severing the homesities, the most natural and intimate ties the human heart knows of. What brutal specimen of the human race working under God's bright sun, with hundreds of clean and helpful jobs at their disposal! Man's greatest enemy is man. Including our time.

A long tiresome, exhausting trip. Not a word about the conversation, the treatment, the food and shelter, the tears and prayers. Much has been written since about trips and treks of traveling emigrants and pioneers for new homes, by ship and rail, horseback and prairie-schoner, but the descriptions are woefully meager and inadequate, especially in those days when writing was a rather rare art, of those days when the first generation felt the privations, the need, the second often had to bleed, in self-defense, and the third generation did succeed. Company divides and minimizes worries and helps in mutual encouragement; Joseph was alone with his particular sorrow. Those old settlers had a definite goal in view, a new, real home of their own; there were no prospects for a second home in slavery. He never said a word about that part of his life. Was he unconcerned, living in a trance of sadness that made him unconscious of his whereabouts, did he command his way unto the Lord?

Egypt! the land of his destination! A land of fabulous resources, extensive industries, military strength, science and art, of high-class civilization, commerce and contact with other leading nations. The granary of the world. The U. S. of his time. Maybe the land of his dreams, of his secret yearning. No chance for perambulating the streets, taking in the sights, milling along with the hustling and bustling populace and; the tourists from everywhere, no time for rejoicing in a new world and scribbling down his noel impressions for spellbound friends at home. You can see little when tears before and blind those eyes, when there is a rush for the slave-market or a speedy delivery to a man of high connections and a generous purse, an old customer of those traders who knew his wants and tastes in that direction.

And the young man lands in the palatial home of a high official of the King, of an army officer of high rank, in the house of Potiphar, where he is surrounded by luxury and comfort and grandeur that he had never seen or heard of. But he is only a slave, not of the muscular roughneck type, but still a slave, awaiting the summons and commands, the eccentricities and humiliations from a master and his household whose language he does understand. The difficult

ties start at once as with all newcomers in a strange land, some annoying and perplexing, some awkward and humorous. A slave must not indulge in humor. The whip is close at hand.

How long will it take him to acclimate himself? An old commissioner of immigration used to say, that some of the immigrants arrive over here in the forenoon and are ready for business in the afternoon; others need months or years to feel at home; still others always feel themselves strangers and take their homesickness to the grave. Joseph and his tribe belongs to the first type. And the Lord has not forgotten him.

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Here we insert that item of which we have given advance notice and which may no longer be news to some, but a promise must be kept.

We refer to the wedding of Miss Esther Neumann, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Neumann of Upper Quihi, who was chosen for life mate by Mr. Elmer Sprott, the son of Mr. Otto Sprott and his late spouse, Minnie, nee Pressler, from the vicinity of Tarpley, Texas. The day was November the 12th. Immediate friends and relatives had assembled for the solemn occasion.

When the pianist intoned the Wedding March, the bridal couple came towards the altar, preceded by the witnesses, Mr. Edwin Sprott and Miss Leora Wiemers. Under impressive strains the rings were conveyed and exchanged, and we tried to find the appropriate words to linger with them. Again under musical accompaniment they made their exit, receiving hearty good wishes at the vestibule. It was a pretty wedding, with all the embellishments of flowers, even though we still lack talent and qualifications to give you a minute description of dresses and hats and shoes, etc. May the Lord enter with them in their new home near Tarpley.

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We have been informed that Mrs. Henry Nieterhofer is down in bed for several days. May it not be anything serious. Many others exhibit

the usual winter colds and other inconveniences. How little can we stand of heat and cold—always on the receiving end.

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The Ladies' Aid will meet on December 4 at the usual place, the renovated and additionally furnished Parish Hall. The meeting is important. Please arrange to come.

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The preparations for the Christmas program of the Sunday school are in full swing. Your children will enjoy taking part in it. Send them.

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Announcements for November 30: Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30; German service at 10:30. No

evening service. Can you spare one hour out of 168 hours, per week, for the Lord's worship? Must He go begging for it? We invite you cordially.

—C. W.

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MRS. R. F. VAUGHN DEAD

Mrs. Lillian Vaughn, wife of R. F. Vaughn and daughter of Mrs. J. W. Ulbrich and the late Mr. Ulbrich, died about 1 A. M. Thursday, November 28, 1941, at her home in Hondo, following a long illness. Funeral services will be held today (Friday) at 2:30 P. M. from the Horger funeral home, with Rev. R. F. Davis of the Hondo Methodist Church, officiating.

Besides her mother and her husband, the deceased leaves two children and several sisters and brothers. She was 32 years and 11 months of age.

A sketch of her life will be given in next week's paper.

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Mrs. Gene Ulbrich entered Medina Hospital on November 19 for several days medical treatment.

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Miss Mary Frances Van Fleet, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident on November 15, is still in a serious condition at the Medina Hospital but is reported to be slowly improving.

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Marshall Koch has arrived home from Camp Bowie where he completed his required time of service in the Army. He will remain here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch, for some time.

Mrs. Constance Vance and daughter, Miss Gertrude Vance, of Devine were guests of their son and brother, County Attorney Frank X. Vance, and Mrs. Vance and children the first of the week.

Monroe Rucker, radio operator on a U. S. Bomber, stationed at Albuquerque, New Mexico, left last week after a 10-day furlough spent here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rucker and family.

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Mrs. Joe Horn visited her nieces
friends, Mrs. Sayers, Mrs. Fer-
rell and Mrs. Minke Wiemers, and
Herm. Saathoff and Mrs. Wm.

car, in San Antonio this week.

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Emil S. Bohmfalk of Yancey, Alex
Gold of Bandera, L. A. Smith
Hondo, and Mrs. Walter Crowley
of San Mateo, Calif., are recent
additions to our list of Anvil Herald

ders.

Herbert Allen Bulgerin will arrive
Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving
holidays with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. H. S. H. Bulgerin. He will
turn to San Antonio in time for
Mass Monday.

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RESIDENCE, RES. PHONE 134.

HERMAN WEYNAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bryant and
their son, Kenneth Slagle and
daughter, Mrs. R. E. Bryant were vis-
ited over the weekend and the holida-
ys of Mr. and Mrs. L. Gerdes. They
are accompanied home to the
imo City by Milton Wiemers.

Stanley Gerdes, accompanied by
his mother, Mrs. Ben Gerdes, Miss
Mangold and Mrs. Leslie
Mains and daughter, Miss JoNell
spent two weeks visiting her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mann
also spending part of the time
her uncle and aunt, Mr. and
Harold Stiegler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tondre of San
Antonio spent Sunday with their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Mann. They
are accompanied home by their lit-
tle four-year-old daughter, Joyce.
They had spent two weeks visiting her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mann
also spending part of the time
her uncle and aunt, Mr. and
Harold Stiegler.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Maxwell and
daughter, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Tom
and daughter, Patricia, and Mr.
Mrs. Jack Bradley and son,
they, were guests of Mr. and Mrs.
H. Schewers last Sunday. In the
afternoon they were joined on the
creek for a picnic by Mrs. B.
Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene
Timmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gaines
and daughter, Gladys Bohlen.

Mr. Alvin Britsch entertained the
employees of his two cafes, the Bob
Grill and the Armstrong Cafe,
a turkey supper Tuesday night
the Armstrong Hotel. The main
was the baked wild turkey which
Britsch killed on a hunt Monday
afternoon. Those present for the
supper were Mr. and Mrs. Alford
Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert
Fuchs, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heyen,
Hedwig Windrow, Horace
Britsch, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin
Britsch.

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CHOSSEN OUTSTANDING STUDENTS IN AMERICAN COLLEGES

Miss Frances Ruth Fly, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fly of Hondo,
a junior in Southwestern University,
is among those students who will be
listed in the 1941-42 issue of WHO'S
WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN
AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND
COLLEGES. The book will be re-
leased in January or February.

Miss Fly is a member and president
of Delta Delta Delta sorority at
Southwestern University; was secre-
tary-treasurer of the Sophomore
Class; is a member of Laura Kuyken-
dall Hall Honor Council; member of
the University Senate; member of
Alpha Chi, honorary scholarship
fraternity; and was chosen outstanding
Tri Delta sophomore last year;
and is on the staff of the Megaphone,
school paper. She is student
assistant and tutor of English under
Mrs. Ruth Ferguson, Dean of Wo-
men of Southwestern University.

Miss Fly graduated from Hondo
High School in the class of 1939 and
was an outstanding student during
her high school career.

Miss Fly attended a conference
held at the Bluebonnet Hotel
and on Tuesday night a banquet was
given in honor of the operators. Mrs.
Bulgerin attended in company with
her son, Herbert Allen Bulgerin, who
is in school in San Antonio. The
biggest part of the conference was
devoted to plans for handling the in-
creased holiday telephone traffic.

The editors are in receipt of an
announcement of the birth of
Michael Lee Werst, Friday morning,
November 21, 1941, at the Wede-
meyer Hospital in Taylor, Texas. He
weighed 6 3/4 pounds and is the son
of Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Werst Jr.
of Thorndale. Mother and son are
reported doing fine and able to be
moved home Sunday afternoon. Mr.
and Mrs. Werst and their daughter,
Beth, formerly resided in Hondo
while Mr. Werst was an employee in
the Anvil Herald office. They have
many friends here who congratulate
them on the arrival of Michael Lee.

The following assisted with Red
Cross war relief work last week: Mrs.
R. F. Davis, Mrs. Laura Groff, Mrs.
Jim Crow, Mrs. W. L. McCray, Mrs.
L. Morris, Mrs. Allen Tillitson, Mrs.
H. C. Oefinger, Mrs. V. P. King and
Andrea Hernandez. Mrs. A. H.
Schweers informed us that every-
thing is coming in complete except
that Mrs. A. C. Gilliam needs seven
more 2-year-old sweaters to fill her
quota. Anyone wishing to complete
one hundred hours of work may do
so by helping Mrs. Gilliam with the
sweaters. Please notify either Mrs.
Gilliam or Mrs. Schweers.

Mrs. Jack Lacy will accompany
her daughter, Miss Judy Lacy, of
the University of Texas, and Miss
Margaret Ann Knopp, of Our Lady
of the Lake College, to College Sta-
tion Wednesday, where the girls will
attend the Longhorn-Aggie football
game Thursday and attend the dance
at A. & M. College. They will be
accompanied home by Arthur and
Albert Lacy of Texas A. and M. The
students will spend the remainder of
the holidays with their families in
Hondo.

Mr. W. F. Shaw, Mrs. M. S. Rag-
land and Mrs. J. C. Shaw of Mer-
cedeze, and Mrs. Shaw's daughter,
Miss Delight Shaw, of the University
of Texas, spent the week-end here
as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Thos.
B. Knopp, Miss Margaret Ann
Knopp of Our Lady of the Lake
College was also at home for the
week-end. The ladies came to at-
tend the shower-tea in honor of Miss
Evelyn Knopp, bride-elect.

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of town on Highway 90, suitable for
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Chas. Oefinger of Dunlay was an
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DEER HUNTING CONTINUES

BIG INTEREST HERE

Deer and turkey hunting still hold
the interest of many visitors as we
as local sportsmen in this section of
the County. A large number of
turkeys and deer have already been
killed and some are stored in the
Hondo Ice Plant, we have been
informed. Two cars drove in to the
plant with eight deer to be stored a
one time Sunday. In six days time
a party of ten people from Seguin
bagged seventeen deer and two tur-
keys, and had their picture with their
game in the San Antonio Light last
Sunday.

Among the local hunters who have
been fortunate in killing game, so
far as we could learn, are Elmer
Leinweber, buck; Herbert Brucks
turkey; Alvin Britsch, turkey;
Franklin Bless, Paul Oefinger and
John Henry Graff, high school stu-
dents, who got their bucks last week;
Dr. W. B. Meyer, buck. Among the
ladies Mrs. Clinton Jagge shot her
first deer, a 4-pointer, last Thurs-
day.

Frank Rucker informed us that he
still has two deer to kill, as we gave
him credit last week for the buck
brought in by his brother-in-law,
Tommy Finger. We are glad to cor-
rect this as we wouldn't want Frank
to get in bad with the game warden
with three deer!

Twenty-two members and several
guests were present at the second
organization meeting of the Catholic
women's study club, held Tuesday af-
ternoon, November 25, at the home
of Mrs. Frank X. Vance. A short
business meeting was conducted by
Mrs. M. L. McDowell, president, at
which time the club was divided into
two groups. Mrs. J. B. Dixon and
Mrs. Ed Ney were named leaders of
groups 1 and 2 respectively. The
groups will meet simultaneously
every two weeks, on Tuesday afternoons,
beginning at 2:30 P. M.

Two distinguished visitors present
were Mrs. LeBlanc of San Antonio,
State Regent of the Catholic Daugh-
ters of America, and Mrs. Ralph
Goeth, Vice-Regent, of Austin. The
pastor, Rev. C. Garcia, introduced
Mrs. LeBlanc who spoke briefly on
the work of her organization. Mrs.
Goeth gave an excellent book re-
view of Mrs. Francis Parkinson
Keyes' "The Grace of Guadalupe".
At the close of the review Mrs.
Vance served refreshments of fruit
salad, sandwiches and punch.

Group No. 1 will meet at the home
of Mrs. V. H. Boon and Group No. 2
with Mrs. Ed Ney on Tuesday after-
noon, December 9th.

LIONS CLUB TO HAVE CHRIST-
MAS TREE IN PARK

Austin, Texas, Nov. 25.—They're
the "people's choice"—374 Univer-
sity of Texas co-eds who were elect-
ed Bluebonnet Belle nominees of
1942 by popular vote in campus
organizations.

Each club or dormitory is allowed
at least one Belle nominee, and more
if its membership rolls go above
fifty. Only thirteen of them will be
chosen for the Bluebonnet Belle
"beauty" section of the Cactus,
Texas yearbook, but all 374 will be
presented at the thirteenth annual
Round-Up Revue and Ball next
March 27.

The presentation of the nominees
is a traditional part of Round-Up
ceremonies, and accompanies the
introduction of the University Sweet-
heart, who is chosen by campus
election, but whose identity remains
a secret until the night of the Revue.

On the Bluebonnet Belle nomine-
e list are three students from Hondo—
Mary Ann Noxon, Betty Jean
Merriman, and Judy Devereau Lacy.
Miss Noxon and Miss Merriman are
registered in the College of Fine
Arts; Miss Lacy is taking a liberal
arts course.

Several reports of committees
were given. A group will go to San
Antonio next week to inquire into
the purchase of a street sweeper for
Hondo. Dr. W. B. Meyer reported
on the bridge tournament now in ses-
sion and announced Mrs. J. B. Dixon
as high score winner for Tuesday
night's contest, the second in the
tournament. Lions R. C. Rath and
J. G. Barry are to represent the Hon-
do Club at a zone meeting next Tues-
day night at Eagle Pass.

A delightful musical program was
presented by Miss Evelyn Woodley,
Henry Martin Finger, and Mrs. C. D.
Sadler.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Nov. 21, Jose Alvizo and Maria
Jesus Garcia.

Nov. 22, Francisco Lopez and Mrs.
Concha Abriga.

Nov. 22, David Alvarado and
Elena Flores.

Nov. 23, Otis K. Baumgarten and
Ina Joyce Brucks.

Nov. 24, Ira W. Crutchfield and
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OWLS PREPARE FOR PEARSALL

Coach Tom Bridges' Owls are
working hard this week getting ready
for their battle with the Pearsall
Vikings. They meet in Pearsall
tonight (Friday) in the season's
final.

Pearsall is the defending regional
champion, having won the honors last
year after winning the district
championship over the Owls by pen-
etrations in a 7-to-7 tie. The Owls
have won the championship of the
north zone of the district without a
defeat, but lost an early season de-
cision to the Mavericks 14 to 7.

Both teams have come along con-
siderably since that game, and a
real treat is in store for the fans.

Tickets are 55¢ and are on sale
locally at the San Antonio Public
Service Co. office. A crowd of
three hundred or more Hondo fans
is expected to drive over to Pear-
sall for the game, which starts
promptly at 8 o'clock P. M.

TRACTOR AND PLOW DEMON-
STRATION

The Alamo Lumber Company will

THE EDITOR'S TURN-ROW



Conservation of foods and feeds, and plans for the largest possible production of more of these essentials of man's existence should now engage the thought and attention of every tiller of the soil. How absurd now appears the philosophy of prosperity through scarcity!

The Christian Science Monitor, the paper presumed to be "run as Christ would run it" yet finds its within its conscience to follow Roosevelt in all his devious ways, at last, in a spirit of revulsion, confesses, "Many Americans are weary of the subterfuges by which their country has had to hide behind other flags in getting supplies to the front lines." Could Christ have condoned "subterfuge" in the first place, as the Monitor has done?

From a news commentator comes this alarming statement: "It is an ironical fact that hundreds of thousands of men are being thrown out of jobs during a time when there is a shortage of suitable labor — and thousands of businesses are in danger of being shut down during a time when consumer demand and consumer purchasing power for all manner of commodities, is extremely high. The figures indicate that there simply isn't sufficient supply of many basic materials to meet the war demand and the normal demand at the same time. And the smaller enterprises of the country, which aren't able to produce the tools of war, are taking the beating." This condition portends hunger in the suffering industrial centers, with bread riots and their attendant evils. Whither are we drifting?"

"Administration leaders say the President will (and he has) ask Congress to repeal the Neutrality Act prohibitions against arming U. S. merchant ships or sending them into belligerent zones. If this is true, the President has rejected the advice of those who want him to continue (an admission that he has been) sidestepping Congress and MAKING WAR POLICY BY EXECUTIVE FIAT. Those advisers fear the disruptive effects of congressional debate; they are too blind to see that NATIONAL FAITH and UNITY ARE BEING STRAINED BY EVASION of the constitutional injunction that Congress must decide the war issue. The President can no longer (could he ever?) go around Congress without ignoring the democratic method to which this nation is dedicated and he is committed. THE ISSUE IS THE PRESERVATION OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY. This TRANSCENDS even THE FATEFUL QUESTION OF WAR OR PEACE. Of course Congress has a responsibility for using the democratic processes. That duty has not been met during recent weeks. No executive can assume powers of Congress unless Congress defaults. There has been too much buck-passing on Capitol Hill, too much willingness to let the President make the decisions and take the consequences. THIS, MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE, IS DESTROYING PUBLIC CONFIDENCE." And thus does the Fort Worth Press, a Scripps-Howard paper, supporter of Roosevelt's foreign policy, gag over the duplicity and crookedness that reigns in Washington! Whom, may one ask, are the real "sabotagers" of American democracy?

"A DELIBERATE UNTRUTH"

From a Scripps-Howard chain newspaper that has consistently supported the Roosevelt nebulous and ever changing — on the surface — foreign policy, we quote the editorial that follows, as it appeared under the above caption:

The President's trial balloonist-in-chief, Senator Pepper, declared in the neutrality repeal debate he favored an American expeditionary force if necessary to defeat Hitler.

Mr. Roosevelt on Navy Day hinted another A. E. F.—"Our new army is steadily developing the strength needed to withstand the aggressors." The Army command has no idea of battling Hitler troops in this country.

Hardly a week passes without an authoritative British report that Hitler cannot be defeated except on German soil, and that an A. E. F. will be needed. This has been stated officially by Generals Wavell and Auchinleck.

A similar statement has just been issued by 10 Canadian editors and correspondents, after conferences with British leaders, including Mr. Churchill. Victory is impossible unless all nations opposed to aggression — meaning the United States —

wage total war." They conclude:

"Germany cannot be effectively subdued until the war is brought home to the German people themselves by actual invasion of their territory."

Britain has no intention of attempting major invasion of Europe without an A. E. F. That has been proved through four months of land inaction, while Russia has held most of the Nazi army and air force. In face of this unique opportunity and of the strongest British public protest during the war, Churchill has staked the life of his government on refusal to send a B. E. F. under present conditions.

This British expectation of an A. E. F. seems fantastic to the average American, who knows we have not the ships or millions of trained soldiers for such a job, and that those we have are without American equipment given to Britain. He knows the draft law supposedly prevents it. He knows the President has made many specific pledges, such as the one last winter: "You can therefore nail any talk of sending armies to Europe as a deliberate untruth."

It may be that the President has changed his mind. He is under no obligation to be consistent. But when and if he does change his mind, the people have a right to ask him to be frank about it.

Before the Senate votes on the proposed neutrality repealer—which would be a blank check for undeclared war—it should learn from the President whether British and American talk of an A. E. F. is still "a deliberate untruth."

Well, the Senate voted, and has any one "learned" anything more dependable "from the President."

Farming said in the beginning that however wrong and ill-advised the law was in the first place, tampering with it under the time and circumstances of the call to congress was tantamount to a declaration of war.

It takes the light a long time to break on some minds.

But it eventually breaks!

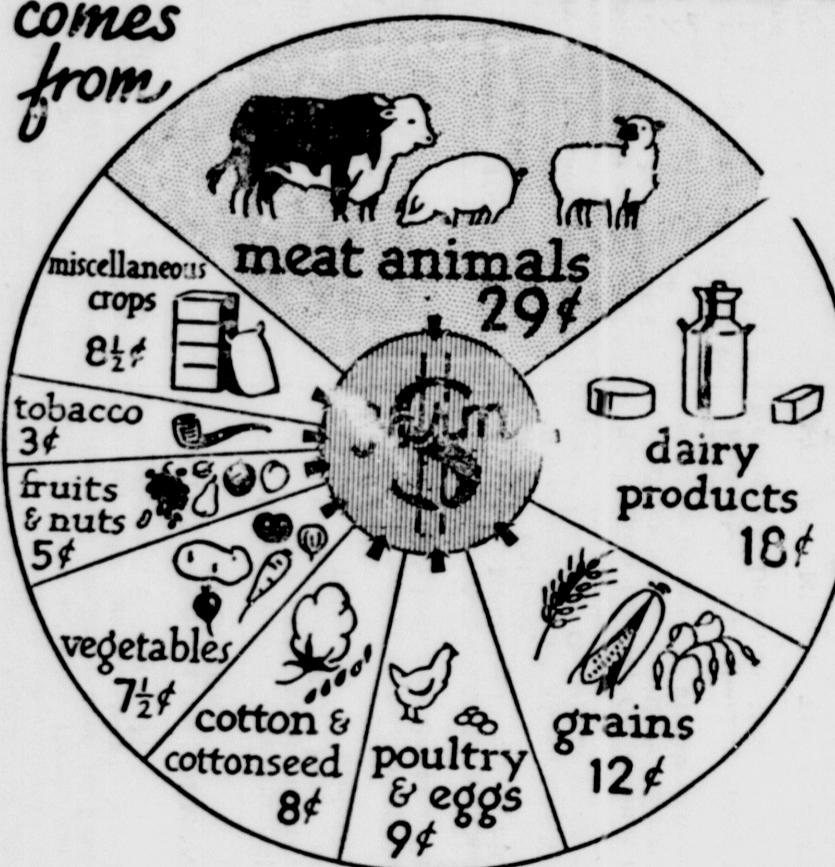
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The fate of Franklin Roosevelt's attempt to leave behind him a mammoth international monument of concrete and steel is bound up in the greatest barrel of pork Congress ever has assembled at one time. For two decades power and navigational development of the St. Lawrence river's International Rapids has been a matter of bitter controversy. Every effort to put the plan across has failed. Observers here are inclined to feel that in the current rivers and harbors bill the President is making what may prove to be his last-ditch fight for the scheme. The bill has been put together like a complicated crossword puzzle, in an attempt to give legislators from most States their own political prizes. Enough congressmen have been put on the spot so that if the measure does not pass, a majority in each House will have to run around their home States explaining why they turned down "benefits" for their own constituents. As always in such hash, some of the items are worthy and highly desirable, and could be passed on their merits. But the principal goal, insiders believe, is to get through—in the guise of National defense — developments that have been rejected heretofore. The St. Lawrence is notable among these, and ultimately would involve by far the greatest outlay. The Florida ship canal, a \$197,000,000 ditch on which F. D. R. spent several millions before it was turned down by the lawmakers two years ago, is another. For both of these, lobbying and publicity committees have set up headquarters and gone to work, with much discussion of the purported merits of the projects and none about the backgrounds of the propagandists. Don't take this for Farming's charge, and say this exposé of an effort to bribe and blackmail Congressmen by a tricky politician, is the empty charge of an anti-New Dealer. It is copied verbatim from the writing of a man on the ground in Washington, Ray Tucker in his National Whirligig column. What do you think?

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Like many other governmental theories, the administration's effort to economize on paper by mimeographing its propaganda sheets on both sides boomerangs. It spoils the sheets for scratch paper, the most useful purpose it serves, and is liable to aggravate the surplus of kindling wood. Oh, that the "braintrusters" might learn to economize by cutting out the propaganda altogether!

Where the FARMER'S DOLLAR comes from,



LIVE STOCK PROVIDES FARMERS GREATEST SOURCE OF CASH INCOME

Cash received for live stock represents the American farmers' largest single source of cash income. In 1940, as illustrated by the above chart prepared by the American Meat Institute, farmers received an average of 29 per cent of their cash income from the sale of meat animals. Over a period of years the return from meat animals has averaged approximately 1/4 of the farmers' total cash income, according to United States Department of Agriculture compilations.

Figures just made available by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics show that for the first seven months of this year (January-July) live stock growers received a total of \$1,669,000,000 or \$415,000,000 more for their meat animals than during the same period a year ago. The increase, approximately 33 per cent, reflects a higher level of live stock prices this year than last and materially larger marketings.

THE MUSES' GARDEN



THANKSGIVING DAY, 1941

First, let us all give thanks
That we dwell in a land at peace;
Within our churches may we pray
That wars abroad shall cease.

Be grateful, too, for Pilgrims wise
Who surrounded us with oceans
To protect us from aggressive men
With their peculiar notions.

Bow down together, mighty race,
Americans all—forever one!
Thank God for His abundant grace
Exceeded to day toward none.

Fling out Old Glory to the breeze,
Our forefathers to remember;
Bright red and white and blue
On the grey skies of November.
—MONTA WEST KIRKCONNELL

THANKSGIVING

As Nature rests her lovely charm
Upon the peaceful, winter's arm,
And spreads her blanket of content
About the fruitful season spent—
We look upon her works of art
With gratitude and thankful heart,
Accepting of the season's gain
In boundless gifts, which still remain.

And far upon the distant rim
We see the stalking, shadows, grim
And threatening, as they slowly
creep,
While trusting Nature lies asleep,
And in this trust abides no fear—
Could peace forget to linger here?
—MABEL G. AUSTIN.

NEW HOPES

I walk among the stars of light,
And mist is in my hair.
I feel the breeze
From swiftly spinning spheres
Blow lightly on my face, still young.

I walk among the stars of light,
Where hold the joys of after light,
And mist is in my hair
With hopes seen everywhere.
I feel the breeze,
That's sure to please,
From swiftly spinning spheres
Wisp by the fading years.
Blow lightly on my face, still young
And wake the morning songs, unsung.
—VELOROUS CALL.

COSMOS BLOSSOMS

Red and white and pink they glow,
Nodding in the breeze,
Nodding in the sunshine bright;
Hear the busy bees
Hum around their chalices.

Now they smile up to the sky
For the morn is fair,
All a-sparkle, drenched with dew;—
Never blooms more fair
Quaffed the summer air.
—HENRY E. BAKER.

CONTENTMENT

I have every thing in life I want.
Is there one who can boast more?
So when new luxuries my dreams
haunt
Their claim to me I ignore.

In no other way could I maintain
My one desire to flaunt them.
When costly trinkets I can't obtain
I merely cease to want them.
—CLARA GATES.

AUTUMN

When autumn paints the hills with gold,
And veils the trees in purple haze,
And lacy patterns bright and bold
Reveal a beauty to amaze,

Then joy is rampant every where,
When autumn paints the hills with gold;
The scent of pine is in the air,
And loveliness the days unfold.

A horde of wealth in leafy mold
Is drifting with the whispered breeze
When autumn paints the hills with gold,
And burnishes the quaking leaves.

A hallowed glow beneath the blue,
Makes pictures lovely to behold,
That we, in speechless silence view,
When autumn paints the hills with gold.
—EUNICE CLEMENT HYATT.

THE FIELDS OF HOME

We offer praise and thankfulness
For garnered fields of grain,
And join the toiling harvesters
In a glad, triumphant strain
For beauties of the flaming hills
That wear a sumac veil,
Sheltering a countless, scuttling
horde
Hidden along the trail.

And ever the wild teal leaves her
nest
In a sweep of bright blue feather,
We pause in ecstasy of praise
Where fields of purpling heather
Fling out a challenge to the soul
To rise beyond the gloom—
Leaving the skies on wings of faith
Across the fields of home!
—KAY McCULLOUGH

ADAPTABILITY

At heart
I am a farmer's wife
Tho it's my part
To live a lawyer's wife—
—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

GARDEN TALKS

"Why didn't some one write a book like that for me when I was a young man?" Such was the thought that leaped into our mind when we opened Mrs. Ina L. Mellichamp's attractive little manual, "Twenty-Five Talks on Poetry." A poet, herself well versed in the technique of poetry composition, these talks come both from the head and the heart—from the heart from a love for poetry beautifully expressed; from the head in an effort to help, from her store of technical knowledge, the inspiring poet struggling to find that expression. If you ever have the urge to write you should read and digest the contents of this book. It can be had for the small sum of \$1.00 from the author, Mrs. Ina L. Mellichamp, 459 Belden Avenue, Chicago.

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One of the most attractive anthologies we have ever been favored with is The Muse of 1941, coming from the Horizon House of 509 Fifth Avenue, New York. It is edited by Charles K. Gabriel and is beautifully illustrated by Marion Connelly. An unique feature is an introductory

FARM WINTER

Winter is just around the bend
Winter will soon be here
Oh, winter is getting near
Winter is just around the bend!

The leaves are all turning brown
The wind will whirl them down
Winter is just around the bend.

The birds are going toward the south
The children are staying in the house
Winter is just around the bend.

We will put up the old heater
And never another will be neater
Winter is just around the bend.

The house will be cozy and warm
Around the stove the children swarm
Winter is just around the bend.
—GEORGE ANDREW MOORE.

MUSIC DIVINE

Music divine, revealing to my soul
A sense of peace as golden scrolls unroll.

Music divine, all memories fulfilled
That bird-song held or mother-longing stilled.

This universal tongue can well express
In melody all ache and tenderness.

Music divine no evil mind can stand
When purity and song go hand in hand.

I long to drink from this effulgent bowl,
I seek for songs God's glory to extol.
—ELOISE COOPER FOWLER.

DO YOU?

I know a lady who would weep
At movies—when she didn't sleep.
At church she'd pray for sinners' sake,
That is, when she could sit awake.
But she could play cards till dawn
And never droop a wink, or yawn.
—JACK GREENHILL.

ZENIAS
The colorful zenias grow straight and tall
They glorify the crumbling old stone wall.
Beruffled in yellow and crimson too—
Their hearts all glistening with silver dew;
They bring a vision of mother to me,
And once again, her love-lit eyes I see.

These flowers she tended, and always grew
In vine-clad valley, or lofty plateau.
In late Autumn days the garden was planned;
And she gathered seed, with a careful hand;
Which she planted in Spring-time in a bed
Rock-rimmed, later they bloomed in bronze and red.

Her zenias still grow quite regal and grand,
But they miss the touch of her loving hand,
Their petals are drooping to earth below,
To wither and sleep beneath the soft snow.
Again I vision my mother, so dear,
With blossom filled hands, as when she were here.
—JESSICA MOREHEAD YOUNG.

HARVESTING TIME

Over the fields of ripened grain
Sounds the harvester's droned refrain.
Out of the bustle and clattering din
Richly the grain flows into the bin.

Meadowlark's herald the harvest time
Fluting melodies of the season's chime,
Mingling the twang of the locust's sound
In a merry tune over the stubble ground.

The granaries full of the tawny wheat,
And the sun of autumn in wan retreat
Proclaims the end of harvesting days
With the earth bound close in hovering haze.
—LELA M. WILLHITE.

WINDOW SHOPPING

One may select the nicest things
While walking down the street
Without the bother trying on
Or giving a receipt.

No need of either purse or funds
To humor every whim;
Just boldly choose, regardless cost,
And be right in the swim!

No matter what the needs or taste,
Or article desired,
Somewhere a window will supply
The very thing required.

—LOTTYE HUMPHREYVILLE ATHEY.

LIFE AT ITS BEST

At evening, when the sun is low,
And toiling is at end,
I straightway go to my bungalow
To greet each best-loved friend;
Then put my nose into a book,
Write a little—to get ahead—
Eat the meal, and kiss my cook,
And uneventfully go to bed.
—OSCAR ZILCH,

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Washington Snapshots

by JAMES PRESTON

Capital Hill talk—in the corridors,
the offices of Senators and Rep-
resentatives, at lunch, as well as on
floor and in committee rooms—
lives around prices, inflation,
etc. But it's largely talk. The
out of action taking place could
be used to push stalled car.

The Administration is frankly—at
worried about the rising price
of about the urgent need to block
incipient inflation. But the Ad-
ministration is no more willing than
Congress to settle down to serious
talking with the problem. Each
one to go on record as warning
about the horrors of the coming
inflation; each does not want to be
responsible for slapping on an
other stiff tax bill or a rigid price
fixing bill. So it looks like a
future for the buck-passers.

It's a fair bet that a compromise,
hence not very effective, price
will be worked out several
times hence. The new tax plan,
posed by Secretary Morgenthau,
is far from off. The fact is the
Treasury placed the
problem of new taxes in the hands of
House Ways and Means Commit-
tee, which is just beginning to show
signs of recovering from drafting
biggest tax bill in history.

Federal taxes this fiscal year will
total about \$13,000,000,000, while
expectation is that we will spend
about \$25,500,000,000. Obviously,
leaves a deficit almost equal to
entire tax receipts.

While several proposals for raising
revenue are being discussed,
one prompting the most comment
is the suggestion by the Secretary
of the Treasury for a 15 per cent
check-off on 1942 incomes. This
would be collected monthly during
1942, while the taxpayer is work-
ing about the taxes due on the
income. In other words, it
would be like paying almost two
years' taxes in one year.

The plan, under consideration pri-
marily by the Treasury officials for
more than a year, met a cool recep-
tion at the Capitol. One Congress-
man, whose reaction may be regard-
ed as indicative of Capitol attitude,
said the "check-off is o. k. if you'll
give me an exemption."

The Treasury leans to the check-
off as the most practical way of col-
lecting revenue. Congress wouldn't
do this, but they believe it
should work an unreasonable hard-
ship on the taxpayers.

Incomes and salaries run concurrently
with 1941 payments. They reason
that most people have no real notion
how severely they will be hit by
the 1941 income tax and should
have a chance to readjust themselves
before being hit by a 15 percent cut.

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Castroville Cullings

LOCAL PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for this business.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1941

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Zuercher and daughter, Pauline Rose, and Mr. and Mrs. Clark E. Tondre and daughter, Joyce LaVerne, all of San Antonio were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. A. H. Tondre.

Miss Ada Rose Lieber and fiance, Leroy Holt of Houston, were Saturday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lieber. Mr. and Mrs. Lieber accompanied them to Houston to attend their marriage Thursday in St. Anne's Church.

Clifton "Mitzie" Schott, student at St. John's Seminary in San Antonio will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Applewhite and son of San Antonio were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Applewhite, last Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halty of Hondo spent Sunday here as the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Volekman and daughter, Mrs. Emma Johnson, of Garden Plains, Kansas, arrived Monday to spend the winter at Three Point. Mrs. Johnson left Wednesday for her home.

HOFFMAN-BOEHME

In an impressive and very lovely ceremony Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, November 19, Miss Luella Boehme, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boehme of Castroville and Mr. Milton Hoffman of Randolph Field, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in St. Louis Catholic Church. Very Rev. Dean J. Lenzen officiated.

To the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March the bridal party entered, Miss Leora Boehme, cousin of the bride, bridesmaid, followed by the maid of honor, Miss Mabel Hoffman, cousin of the bridegroom.

The bride entered on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. She was lovely in a costume suit of soldier blue woolen, trimmed with red fox fur. Her dress was fashioned on empire lines with a sweetheart neckline. Over this she wore a long fitted coat with red fox la-

pels and pockets. She wore a beret of brown felt with matching veil. Her accessories were chocolate brown suede and faille. She carried a corsage of California Belmont gardenias and tube roses on her bag. The only ornament was an old-fashioned locket belonging to her mother.

Miss Hoffman was gowned in a green dress of alpaca. Miss Boehme's dress was of a gold-colored alpaca. Their accessories were brown and they also carried their corsages of yellow gladiolas on their bags.

Ward Boehme, only brother of the bride, acted as best man and Vernon Bourgeois, cousin of the bridegroom, was groomsman. They wore chocolate brown suits with boutonnieres of yellow gladioli and the bridegroom a white gardenia.

The altars were beautifully decorated with vari-colored seasonal blossoms.

After the ceremony the young couple left for San Antonio and Randolph Field while awaiting Mr. Hoffman's transfer to Enid, Oklahoma, where they will make their home.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, November 30, 1941

9:00 A. M. rehearsing our Sunday school Christmas program. Children please attend 100 per cent.

10:00 A. M. German divine service.

American people are still privileged to worship "according to the dictates of their own hearts", and God still calls us to assemble ourselves in worship of Him. In finding time to do so many of the other things in life, let us also find time to go to church.

On Friday night, Dec. 12, the Castroville Luther League will meet in the Fuos building at 7:30 o'clock. Members please attend and bring a friend.

Congregational meeting on Sunday, Dec. 7th, right after service.

We extend a cordial welcome to one and all to work and worship with us.

The Church with a welcome.
A. H. FALKENBERG,
Pastor.

POSTED

Our pastures are posted and no hunting or trapping is allowed. 7tpd
C. L. GRAFF,
H. E. GRAFF,
A. J. GRAFF,
F. A. GRAFF,
EMMA GRAFF.

POSTED NOTICE

Our pastures are leased for hunting and are hereby posted. 3tc

HY. DECKER,
L. R. and L. M. DECKER,
MRS. L. C. DECKER,
DECKER and FOHN.

NOTICE

We have hunting rights of Emil Britsch Ranch. No hunting or trespassing allowed. Gates are locked. 3tc.

ANDREW ECKHART
And others.

POSTED

The two Alfred Saathoff pastures are leased for hunting purposes. All others are hereby notified to keep out. 5tpd.

ARTHUR W. SCHULTE.

POSTED

Having leased my ranch for hunting purposes, it is posted against any hunting or trespassing by all others. 11-14tf

HENRY C. MEYER.

POSTED

The lands of the Fred Folk estate are posted and all hunting and trespassing therein is forbidden. 7tpd.

CHARLIE FOLK.

POSTED

I have leased my pasture for hunting purposes. All trespassing is strictly forbidden. tf

F. A. MARTIN.

POSTED

My pastures are all posted; all hunting and trespassing are forbidden. 3tpd.

CHAS. OEFINGER.

POSTED

My lands are all leased to hunters and all others are warned to stay out. 6tpd.

JOS. NEHR.

NOTICE

My pastures on the Francisco are posted; no hunting or trespassing allowed without a written permit. 5tc.

JOHN T. BOHLEN.

NOTICE

Teacher—And you, Willie, can you tell me the nationality of Napoleon?

Willie—"Course I can."

Teacher—"That's right."

Let us be your job printer.

SCHOOL NEWS

From The Owl:

RED CROSS CONTRIBUTIONS FOURTH GRADE NEWS

We have a poem written by Ernestine Garber which deserves mention, we think.

Hugo and Bobby went to school;
They obeyed the Golden Rule.
Hugo and Bobby went to bed;
I had a dream Hugo said.

Our room received a letter from the fourth grade in Northfield, Mass. They are writing a letter to one school in each state, and Hondo was chosen, because the towns are of about the same size. We have written the following letter and sent it to them.

We spent some time in learning how to write a letter before we could send an answer.

Hondo Public School
Hondo, Texas
November 24, 1941

Dear Boys and Girls,

We enjoyed your letter very much. Just a short time ago, we read in "My Weekly Reader" about Massachusetts being the cranberry state. Are there cranberry bogs near Northfield?

Our town has about two thousand five hundred people. Hondo is the county seat of Medina County. We have four schools; a Public School, Saint John School, Mexican School, and a Colored School.

We live forty miles southwest of San Antonio, one of Texas' largest cities. Our climate is mild. It does not snow here very often.

We have twelve grades in our school. There are seventeen teachers in our building. In our room we have seventeen pupils.

Our teacher's name is Miss Lois Crowley.

This week we have studied about the Pilgrims. We have Thursday and Friday for our holidays. Did you have Thanksgiving holidays?

Please write to us again. We would like to hear from you and to write to you.

Sincerely yours,
THE FOURTH GRADE.

F. F. A. Hold Recreational Meeting

A volleyball tournament was held at the F. F. A. meeting last Wednesday night. All members present were chosen into four teams. Teams 1 and 3 played the first game with team No. 1 winning by a score of 12 to 5. Next, teams 2 and 4 played with team No. 2 winning by a score of 15 to 8. The play-off to decide the championship was then played with team No. 1 winning by a score of 18 to 10.

There were 30 members present at the meeting. The next regular meeting will be held December 3. At this meeting plans for the annual Yarmint Hunt will probably be discussed. Please attend this meeting.

FATHER'S NIGHT TO TAKE PLACE IN DECEMBER

A program is being worked up for Father's Night which will take place Thursday, December 11.

Miss Woodley is working out details for an operetta to be presented by the first five grades of grammar school.

Father's Night will take the place of the December P. T. A. meeting.

FIRST GRADE NEWS

We have begun to read our first book and find it very interesting.

We have been making turkeys because it is nearing Thanksgiving. We are eagerly waiting for the holidays.

A new pupil has come to our class and we are very glad to have her. Her name is Iva Jean Senne. We hope she will like living in Hondo.

FOOTBALL DANCE A SUCCESS SOPHOMORE DANCE

Friday night, November 21, a dance was held in the Hondo High gymnasium immediately after the Hondo-Sabinal game from 10 to 12:30. Music was furnished by Buddy Hancock's orchestra.

The dance was very successful and ended the football dances for the year.

The Corner Poetry

TEACHER

With eager, outstretched minds
They run to you,
Envelop you with their shining eyes,
Overpower you with expectant smiles
They run to you with open, out-stretched minds,

Gather them to you—
Welcome them with the firm grasp
of your learning,
... Teach ...

—VIRGINIA PATY

PRAYER OF A YOUNG POET

Let me leave the Old, the Dark,
The turmoil of the ages.

Let me turn from

Terror and war and tears—

Old sorrows which have pressed on
the heart of the world
Since its first beating.

Let me be blind to the brutal, the
bloody,
Let me forget the blackness of
death—

These were earth's songs
At the dawn of time.

Let youth be my song

And laughter be my singing.

Let me write from the richness of
hearts that are young.

Let my muse be life and my pen
gold-fire—

Let me sing laughter and sunlight
and stars,

Sea-foam and dancing,

White sands and clean winds,

Let me sing Youth.

—VIRGINIA PATY

FRESHMAN

Pin-striped suit, crisp white shirt,
Blue tie primed with care.

A fashion plate—unless you spot

The straw wisp in his hair.

—SOPHOMORE

He calls the world by its first name;
Big shots are "Bob" and "Jim."

He greets the Who's Who and the

mass—

But no one speaks to him!

JUNIOR

He spends his hours at campus tables

Papers spread, and books piled

high.

He studies hard and feverishly—

Every blonde who passes by.

SENIOR

He talks with pride of his degree,

And Senior Week and his career.

He talks importantly to those

Who don't know he'll be back next

year.

VIRGINIA PATY

Some fairies in my garden green

Looked up at me and smiled.

All dressed were they in soft spun

sheen,

These fairies in my garden green,

With diamond dewdrops all between,

At once my heart beguiled.

Some fairies in my garden green

Looked up at me and smiled.

ESTA McELRATH

—PRACTICE

Ovals and push pulls

That is what I am making.

One line curves in a circle;

The next goes up and down.

I put fancy endings on my push pulls